UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE In re Application of: Koue OHKAW Art Unit: 1714 Examiner: Mathew Thexton Application No.: 10/678,265 Filed: October 6, 2003 Washington, D.C. Atty.'s Docket: OHKAWA=2 For: SACCHARIDE-CONTAINING AQUEOUS LUBRICANT (as amended) Confirmation No.: 3445 Date: April 25, 2006 Customer Service Window, Mail Stop Amendment Honorable Commissioner for Patents U.S. Patent and Trademark Office Randolph Building, 401 Dulany Street Alexandria, Virginia 22314 Transmitted herewith is a REPLY: AMENDMENT AND REMARKS in the above-identified application. [] Small Entity Status: Applicant(s) claim small entity status. See 37 C.F.R. §1.27. No additional fee is required. The fee has been calculated as shown below: OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY SMALL ENTITY (Col. 2) (Col. 3) (Col. 1) ADDITIONAL OR ADDITIONAL HIGHEST NO. PRESENT RATE RATE **CLAIMS** FEE REMAINING **PREVIOUSLY EXTRA** FEE PAID FOR **AFTER EQUALS** AMENDMENT \$ 50 MINUS 0 25 \$ TOTAL 20 100 200 \$ INDEP MINUS 0 \$ \$ FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM 180 \$ 360 OR TOTAL \$ ADDITIONAL FEE TOTAL If the entry in Col. 1 is less than the entry in Col. 2, write "0" in Col. 3. If the "Highest Number Previously Paid for" IN THIS SPACE is less than 20, write "20" in this space. If the "Highest Number Previously Paid for" IN THIS SPACE is less than 3, write "3" in this space. The "Highest Number Previously Paid For" (total or independent) is the highest number found from the equivalent box in Col. 1 of a prior amendment of the number of claims originally filed. Conditional Petition for Extension of Time If any extension of time for a response is required, applicant requests that this be considered a petition therefor. [] It is hereby petitioned for an extension of time in accordance with 37 CFR 1.136(a). The appropriate fee required by 37 CFR 1.17 is calculated as shown below: Small Entity Other Than Small Entity

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REPLY: AMENDMENT AND REMARKS

Customer Service Window, Mail Stop Amendment Honorable Commissioner for Patents U.S. Patent and Trademark Office Randolph Building 401 Dulany Street Alexandria, Virginia 22314

Sir:

Replying to the Office Action of February 6, 2006, please amend as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Abstract begin on page 3 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 4 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.